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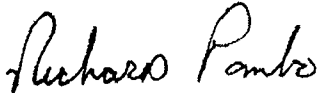
Dear Congressman Miller:

Thank you for your November 18th letter concerning the federal guest worker program.

Like you, I reviewed the series of *Sacramento Bee* articles on this subject with concern, and, as a result, have already directed the Subcommittee on Forests and Forest Health to review the issues covered in those news stories. I take the topic of worker safety very seriously and will use the oversight capacity provided under the jurisdiction of my Committee to assess the pertinent issues addressed in your letter and in those articles.

Again, thank you for taking the time to write to me. I look forward to working with you during the remainder of the 109th Congress.

Sincerely,


RICHARD W. POMBO
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